

## Fact Sheet

# SA Health Mental Health Services Plan

The Office of the Chief Psychiatrist and the SA Mental Health Commission are partnering to develop the new SA Health Mental Health Services Plan.

### What is the SA Health Mental Health Services Plan

The SA Health Mental Health Services Plan will provide a framework for SA Health operated and commissioned mental health and wellbeing services to ensure that quality care occurs in consistent, safe and innovative ways across our State.

The Plan will describe what consumers should expect when using mental health services, as well as the range of services and associated resources required to meet population-based needs.

The local community and mental health providers will determine how the Plan is implemented locally to ensure effective services are delivered to the community.

### Development of the Plan

The Plan will be developed by people with extensive clinical and lived experience in the fields of mental health, service planning, design and delivery, and community.

Further consultation will take place in December 2018, with the final Plan to be provided to the Minister for Health and Wellbeing in March 2019.

All key stakeholders, particularly people with lived experience and those most affected by the decisions, will be involved through the Plan's development, implementation and evaluation.

### How to get involved

All South Australians are encouraged to contribute to the development of the plan by providing their input on the priorities that should be addressed in the SA Health Mental Health Services Plan.

Join the discussion and provide your feedback by:

- > Visiting <https://yoursay.sa.gov.au/decisions/sa-mental-health-services-plan/about>
- > Emailing [HealthMentalHealthFeedback@sa.gov.au](mailto:HealthMentalHealthFeedback@sa.gov.au) or [samhc@sa.gov.au](mailto:samhc@sa.gov.au)

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## For more information

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